Local Merchants and Christmas Shopping

Richmond Record-Herald

VOLUME XXVIII—EIGHTEENTH YEAR. RICHMOND, CAL., MONDAY, DEC. 16, 1918 NUMBER 190.

No One Ever Missed a Dollar Given to Red Cross

BIG PREPARATIONS FOR THE HOLIDAY TRADE ARE MADE BY LOCAL STORES

The Christmas holiday season is here, and there is an air of good cheer everywhere. The streets are getting more and more crowded each day, as the time grows shorter before the end of the Yuletide season.

The merchants of Richmond have entered into the holiday spirit this year with much enthusiasm, and it has been their aim to lay in such a stock that the tastes of those with the fattest purse, and at the same time those who have less at their command, could be satisfied.

The stores up and down Macdonald avenue present a very attractive appearance. They have been decorated on the outside with evergreen stringers and wreaths, and on the inside, there are decorations suitable for the Christmas season, and everywhere there is a pleasing view to theeye.

There are so many useful things in stock, that the trouble will be just what to select, as a person is almost bewildered at the array, put forth by the merchants.

Home Trading

Home trading is the life of any city, and the merchants ask that this year especially as a patriotic duty, that the residents do their buying at home in every instance that they can. They are not asking this from a purely selfish motive, as it is a well known fact that almost any article that you might wish, can be purchased for less money here than you can secure the same article for in any of the other bay cities. And in addition you save carfare, meals, and many other incidental expenses that enter into a trip from Richmond.

Influenza Epidemic

Reports from the health officers of the surrounding cities, show that the influenza epidemic is again on the increase there, while in Richmond it is at a standstill. There is no better way to protect yourself and your children, than by doing as little traveling around as possible, then the danger of bringing the influenza home is much lessened.

Santa Claus is Here.

Every effort has been made this year by the merchants of Richmond to provide attractions for the young and old during the holiday season. There is a real Santa Claus on the streets most of the day, and in turn he makes a visit to all of the stores. That he is interesting is attested by the fact, that there is always a crowd of youngsters at his heels. At the some time there is the free Marionette show that is given at the Lincoln school auditorium, daily. There is absolutely no admission, all the expenses of the entertainment are borne by the merchants. It is a wonderful show, most interesting to both young and old, and the origin of the Marionettes, dates back to the early ages.

Take The Kiddies

When you want to go shopping take the kiddies along with you, they are most welcome by the merchants, and while you are doing the shopping, there is always something interesting for the little ones, or let them go to the Marionette show, while you do your buying.

The Merchants' Windows

A great deal of care and expense have been gone to by the merchants in making their windows attractive with goods that are suitable for the holiday season. And that they are performing their mission is evident by the great throngs of people that are standing in front of them, both day and night. In fact never in the history of Richmond before, have the merchants put forth the efforts they have this year, and gone to the expense of impressing on the minds of the residents, that they have something to offer them, and at prices that cannot be equalled elsewhere.

Merchandise Orders

If you are in doubt as to what to give, go and purchase a merchandise order, practically all of the stores issue them, and they are good for whatever amount they are issued for and at any time. Then the recipient can secure just what they desire.

Toyland is Surely Here.

Extraordinary efforts have been made to see that everything in the lines of toys that any youngster could possible want for has been placed on display. It is impossible to enumerate them all, but if you will take a trip through Toyland at the Big Store, The Fair, Eberharts, Richmond Variety Store or Beyers, you will find anything that might come into your mind, and remember that the prices are very reasonable.

Cloaks and Suits

Cloaks and suits, furs, waists, skirts, and corsets is a specialty with L. Garfinkle, at 617 Macdonald avenue and he certainly has a stock that would please the most fastidious. You do not have to pay all down, but establish a charge account, and start your paying after the first of the year. It is not only a store for women to buy, but it is a store for the men to purchase for their mothers, wives, sweethearts or relatives. One well known resident of this city discovered a few days ago, that if she had purchased a suit at Garfinkles instead of buying in an outside city, she could have had the same article for $5.00 less, besides the money spent for traveling expenses.

Dry Goods and Dress Goods

In this line you have large stocks to select from, and many stores which you may visit and make your selections. It is impossible for a man to describe all the dainty things and the wearing apparel that goes to make up a woman's outfit, but the woman knows them all. The assortment is certainly fascinating, and everything from a moderately priced article, to as much as you want to spend. The Big Store, the R. G. Jones Dry Goods Company, The Fashion, Egans, The Fair and Forbes are specialists in this line

Slippers and Shoes

The shoe stores of the city invite you to inspect their stock, and see what a line they have in the way of slippers, "comfys" and shoes of all qualities and styles. If you can't find what you want at either Smith and Crane, Eisenbergs, the Shoe Mart, the B. B. Shoe store, Dicksteins, Adkisons and McRacken' the Big Store, or Kurtz, in this line, there is no use trying, for they have got all kinds that are manufactured.

Jewelry Always Acceptable

Either a diamond ring, a watch, a ring, a stick pin, a lavelier, or beauty pins, a clock, and oh! so many other things in this line are always appreciated when they are received—but space forbids going into detail. Otto Poulsen, F. W. Dietrich, or Henry Kallman are glad to show you what they have, help you select something useful, and place it on the reserve list, until you desire to call for it.

Useful Articles

Toilet articles of every description and quality, cameras, French ivory, portfolios, perfumes, packed in fancy boxes; gift stationery, hair brushes, combs, and hundreds of other things are what greet you when you enter the two drug stores of the LaMoine Drug Company, or the Lang Drug Company. The windows are beautiful in their decorations, but how much more enticing are the inside of the establishments.

Men's Outfitters

Some of the most useful gifts that are made, are those given to men and the young fellows. There are suits, overcoats, kerchiefs, neckties, gloves, collars, collar buttons, handbags, collar bags, suitcases, shirts, underwear from the medium grade of cotton to the best of wool and silk and wool, and pure silk. Just take a peek in the windows of the merchants, who specialize in this line, and if you do not see there what you think you want, go inside and you are sure to be satisfied. There are a number of men's furnishing stores in Richmond, such as S. Kurtz, Smith & Crane, H. Dickstein, Adkison and McRacken.

And many a pleasant hours is

(Concluded on Page Four.)

PORTUGUESE PRESIDENT IS SHOT BY ASSASSIN

LISBON, Dec. 16. — The assassin of Dr. Sidinio Paes, president of Portugal, made sure of his aim when he attacked the president today. Dr. Paes was talking with a number of ministers at a railroad station here when the young man approached the group. He succeeded in reaching the side of Dr. Paes and drawing a pistol, fired point blank at the president. Dr. Paes never regained consciousness.

The murderer was killed by the crowd, and another man, suspected of complicity in the crime, was arrested.

After the minister of the interior had assumed the office of president, Alfredo Magalhies, minister of marine, was charged with the duty of heading the foreign office, which portfolio was borne by Dr. Paes in conjunction with the presidency. The government as thus constituted will remain in office until action is taken by the Chamber of Deputies, which has been called to meet tomorrow.

Police authorities suspect that the crime was planned by the League of Republican Youths. There is a unanimous protest against the crime on the part of the population. Union labor leaders have been placed under protection by the police.

DEEP SEA SHIPS BRING CARGOES TO RICHMOND

The steamship Daylight, from London, is at the Point San Pablo docks, taking on a cargo of case oil from the Standard Oil Company. She will probably clear for sea tomorrow.

The tanker Astral, from Manila, and Cebu and loaded with a cargo of cocoanut oil for the Visayan Oil Company, of this city has been discharging cargo at the docks of that company at Point San Pablo. She will take out a cargo of refined oil for the Orient and expects to clear from this port tomorrow. The Astral is taking on cargo at the Standard's Point Orient dock.

A number of sailing vessels from north coast points are unloading lumber at the Point San Pablo docks of the Belt Line railroad. The lumber is consigned to Richmond and various interior points.

WEST ZUCKER IS FLOATED FROM MUD BERTH

The Steamer West Zucker, bound to Port Costa for a cargo of grain and which went on the mud flats of San Pablo bay off Rodeo Thursday evening was hauled out of her mud berth by a couple of tugs at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon and floated in deep water.

The West Zucker wandered off her course during the fog Thursday evening and the first thing they knew they were stranded in the soft mud. In the morning a tug came to the rescue, but its best efforts failed to move the big ship and other tugs were enlisted in the work, but without results until yesterday afternoon when at high tide the ship was floated and went on up to her destination, where she is taking on a cargo of wheat for Great Britain.

MERCHANTS WILL MEET THIS EVENING

The Merchants' Association will hold its regular meeting this evening at the Chamber of Commerce rooms in the Elks building. There are a great many matters which will come up for consideration and the members are requested by President Burdick to turn out to the meeting.

Among the things which will doubtless be taken up and disposed of is to devise means, whereby closer co-operation can be obtained among the business men of the town in all matters pertaining to the welfare of the merchants themselves and the citizens of the community.

GUY A. TURNER OF PINOLE IS CALLED BY DEATH

Guy A. Turner a well known employee of the Hercules Powder Works at Hercules, passed away at his home in that place yesterday. He is survived by a mother and sister. The body is at smallwood's and will be shipped this evening to Santa Cruz for interment.

Humboldt Jonathan apples, direct from the grower. Dobbs, 1008 Macdonald avenue. 12-2-tf

POLAND WILL DECLARE WAR ON GERMANY IS REPORT

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 16. — Poland has severed relations with Germany, according to a telegram received in Berlin from Warsaw.

Poland, as a reason for the rupture, accuses the German authorities in occupied provinces of acting contrary to Polish interests and of working with the Bolsheviki. At the request of the Polish government, Governor General von Beseler and the entire staff of the German mission will leave the territory of the Polish republic.

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 16.—Control of the merchant marine is demanded by a sailors' council formed at Hamburg, according to a Berlin dispatch to the Berlingske Tidende of this city. The council threatens to tie up all the ships if its demand is not complied with. The council insists that the financing be borne by the ship owners.

GREEK TAG DAY SCHEDULED FOR THURSDAY

The date of Greek Relief Tag Day has been changed by General Chairman Mrs. H. A. Stiver from Friday, December 20th to Thursday, December 19th on account of a Standard Oil pay day falling on the last named date. Mrs. Stiver has everything in readiness for the great event and she believes that she will have no difficulty in securing the amount of money allotted to us as our quota.

Mrs. Stiver will be assisted in her work on Tag Day by the Liberty Girls and a number of the high school young ladies. Also several of the society ladies have volunteered their services to sell the tags on the streets, so that she has her staff of workers all provided for. They are going into their work with a vim and have no doubt that the people of Richmond will respond as liberally for the relief of these poor, war-torn people as they have in every instance where their giving has been requested.

STANDING OF THE S. O. CO. BOWLING LEAGUE TO DATE

For week beginning Dec. 16th to 20th inclusive:

Teams	GP	W	L	Pct.
Lub. Com. Dept.	3	3	0	1000
Refinery Dept.	3	3	0	1000
Benzol Plant	3	3	0	1000
Electrical Dept.	3	3	0	1000
Main Office	3	3	0	1000
Labor Dept.	3	3	0	1000
Shook Factory	3	2	1	.667
Laboratory	3	2	1	.667
Filter Plant	3	2	1	.667
Acid Works	3	2	1	.667
Lub. Fill Dept.	3	1	2	.333
Boiler Shop	3	1	2	.333
Loading Dept.	3	1	2	.333
Refinery S'house	3	1	2	.333
Barrel House Of.	3	0	3	.000
Box Shop	3	0	3	.000
Pipe Shop	3	0	3	.000
En. Dept.	3	0	3	.000
Carp. Shop	3	0	3	.000
Sales Dept.	3	0	3	.000

MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN OPENS UP TODAY FOR 100 PER CENT RESULTS IN CITY OF RICHMOND

The Red Cross Christmas roll call campaign in Richmond was launched this morning when Constable Arthur Alstrom began the distribution of supplies to the lieutenants of the Mobilized Women who during the coming week will call at each home in order to give every man, woman and child in Richmond the opportunity to go down in history as members of the 1919 Red Cross Roll Call. In addition to the membership button, which will be given as a receipt for each dollar membership, each subscriber will receive ten Red Cross Christmas stickers, and a window service flag which will show a small Red Cross seal for every member of the family who enrolls as a member.

The Red Cross flag was the first to float over the battlefields of Europe; it will be the last flag to be furled. As long as our own people or those of our Allies need help we must give it. Remember that this Roll Call is to be a patriotic census of the American people. Every good Richmond citizen will answer "Here" when his name is called this week.

RICHMOND LAUNDRY OPENS OFFICES ON SIXTH STREET

The Richmond Home Laundry has opened up offices in the Cryan building at 321 Sixth street opposite the postoffice, pending building plans for the new structure, which are now being considered by Manager Jack Best and his associates. His bookkeeper and distributing department will be at the new place of business for several weeks at least until the new laundry building is completed and ready for occupancy.

Just where the new Home Laundry will be located has not yet been determined, but it will be at some central location in this city, probably on the old site, which was convenient to the public and for the distributing trucks. But that, of course is to be determined in the future by the management.

The Richmond Home Laundry Company enjoys the largest business of any institution of the kind on this side of San Francisco bay. At the time of the fire it is estimated there was $40,000 worth of laundry in the establishment and this amount does not represent the entire business of the week by any means, so that it will be seen a large business is transacted by the concern.

It is the intention of Manager Jack Best to install in the new laundry all the best and most modern machinery that can be found to turn out the most satisfactory work for his large trade. He is negotiating for this machinery now and it will all be on the ground as soon as the new building is completed, which will doubtless be within the next few weeks.

MATRON IS CALLED AT EL CERRITO HOME

Mrs. A. R. Sawtelle, a well known matron of El Cerrito passed away at her home in that city yesterday. She was a native of Missouri and aged 8[illegible] years. She is survived by a husband who is critically ill.

No arrangements have as yet been made by Undertaker Bert Curry who has charge of the body, for the funeral, but it will probably take place tomorrow or the day following.

Mrs. David F. Rodriguez, of 239 Fifth street passed away at the family home Saturday night. She was aged 34 years and is survived by her husband and little daughter.

The body is at Smallwood's and will be shipped this evening to Santa Cruz, her former home, where the funeral and interment will take place.

Mr. Micawber

made famous by Dickens, is noted for the wise expression:

"Annual income twenty pounds, annual expenditure nineteen six, result happiness. Annual income twenty pounds, annual expenditure twenty pounds ought and six, result, misery."

This was his way of saying that success or failure depend upon the ability to live within one's income.

Earn all you can, spend what is necessary—and always save a portion.

We invite your account.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Member Federal Reserve System.

RICHMOND SAVINGS BANK SAVINGS

Sixth and Macdonald

Richmond Record-Herald

Published Every Afternoon, Except Sundays and Holidays by the RECORD-HERALD COMPANY

Sixth Street near Macdonald Ave. Telephone Richmond 70

FRANK HULL, Managing Editor. G. E. MILNES, Business Mgr.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES:

1 Year....$4.80 6 Months....$2.40 1 Month by Carrier...40c

Single Copies Five Cents.

Entered at the Postoffice at Richmond, Cal., as Second-Class Matter.

MORE COMPLEX PROBLEMS

IN little more than six months from this time all America will be dry, and no longer will wine be a mocker, nor shall strong drink rage. This adds greatly to the problem of the unemployed. We all know that when two million soldiers are released from the service that thy must find work for their hands to do. Already our paternal Government is considering providing farms and employment for the gallant fighters. They will be taken care of there is no doubt about that. It has not occurred to anybody that these men left jobs a year or a half year ago and that every employer in the United States is pledged to return them to their positions whenever they are ready for work but the people at home go about worrying their heads off over what the soldier boys will do when they come home. Again we say, they will all be taken care of.

But what are we going to do with the hundreds of thousands of men who will be out of employment by reason of the dry laws. Barkeepers are notoriously unfit for any other sort of business and it will be hard to find a nich for them in the labor market. What are we going to do with them? Then there are thousands of others more or less closely connected with the liquor business and the same problem in their case presents itself. It is a grave one to be sure and must be solved by the government or by these people themselves.

And then what in the world is to become of the professional temperence reformer? In all the states, in every big city, in many counties all over the land there are well-organized anti-saloon leagues, prohibition associations, and other organizations — all working for the downfall of the liquor traffic. They have gained their end; prohibition is on the way. The manufacture and sale of every drink under the sun that contains alcohol will cease after June 30, next year.

Alas, for the lobbyists and secretaries and superintendents and the thousands of salaried employees of these organizations. Their occupations will be gone. They have for years drawn fat salaries for uttering denunciations of saloonkeepers, distillers and brewers. and now all of these will go out of business. There will be no liquor men to heckle; no rum to launch curses against. In their zeal each reformer has sawed the limb on which he was seated between himself and the trunk of the tree. These anti-liquor organizations will cease to exist, and quit paying salaries. As to manual labor, the agents and lobbyists of anti-liquor leagues are not used to it. Something easy must be found for these men who will be out of jobs. But what? How can they follow their profession of reforming all creation when every one is sober and virtuous? Thus another big problem confronts the Federal chiefs.

Four ships which are well known to the people of San Francisco and other bay cities have been doing excellent work toward winning the war. The Yale and Harvard, formerly on the run between San Francisco and Los Angeles and San Diego are hospital ships plying between Great Britain and France. The Northern Pacific and Great Northern of the Great Northern Steamship line, plying between San Francisco and Portland, are troopships. They have been making regular trips between New York and a French port and are among the fastest ships on the Atlantic. Now that the war is over these four splendid steamships are soon expected to be back to this port.

RETURN THE RAILROADS

The government of this land is already overburdened and should at the earliest day relieve itself of the job of running the railways of the country. These lines should be handed back to their owners, who gave a service so far superior to that given by the government as to prove that private ownership is more to be desired than ownership by the government. The government agents apparently labor under the hallucination that comfort was not to be thought of in the conduct of railways, and started out with the idea of abolishing club cars, smoking cars, and here even were many suggestions that parlor cars should be done away with because they did not carry so many passengers as common day coaches. Few persons who have been forced to ride in railway trains since Uncle Sam took them over will favor government ownership. There are many reasons that indignant passengers offer against it. One is that employees of railways—many of them—lost their courtesy and forgot politeness. Many a passenger will recall having complained to an agent of the road over which he was traveling only to have the government railway employee yell in his or her face: "Aw, tell it to McAdoo!"

Under private ownership the gentlemen employed at the railroad stations were Chesterfields; they exerted themselves to show attention to passengers and never lost patience. Under private ownership a man who broke the rules of the company employing him would be cautioned and if complained of again, he was liable to be discharged. Under government ownership there does not seem to be any one to lodge complaints with; there does not seem to be a chief or boss. There may be arguments in favor of government ownership of many things, but if public comfort is to be considered there is nothing that can be said in favor of this country running the railways.

For instance there is the telephone systems and the telegraph. We have not the least objection to the government conducting these and we think in the main a reasonably good job could be made of it. In a way neither of these are competitive. For example no business man wants two telephone instruments on his desk and he don't care a rap whether there is one telegraph office in his town or a half dozen. In any instance he will pay all the traffic will bear. As for the telephone, all he wants is a reasonably good local service and in normal times he gets this by making it so unpleasant for the company that they are glad to give him what he wants to keep his mouth shut. We are perfectly willing for the government to own the telephone and telegraph service, but not the railroads—that is going a step too far, besides we are not in favor of a too unwieldy political machine. It is more than likely to cause trouble around election time.

It is reported that a Y. M. C. A. is likely to be organized here very soon. It is a good thing and should receive the earnest support of everybody in Richmond. Boys grow up into better men in towns where there is a Young Men's Christian Association, and they are better physically as well as morally. Saloons, cigar stores and pool and billiard rooms are not very good places in which to train young men for their mission in life and that is about all Richmond has to offer them at present. The best investment we could make for our young men would be a Y. M. C. A. building with accompying reading room, gymnasium, baths and all the things which go to make such places attractive to the boys and young men. Now is a good time to set the ball to rolling.

CHICHESTER S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND. Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ters Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

State and County Taxes For the Fiscal Year 1917-1918

Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martinez.

Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa County the duplicate assessment book for the fiscal year 1917-1918, and

That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property and one half of the taxes on all real property is now due and payable on the

Third Monday in October

and delinquent on the first Monday in December next thereafter at 6 o'clock p. m. and that unless paid prior thereto fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and if said one half is not paid before the

Last Monday in April Next

at six o'clock p. m. an additional five per cent will be added thereto That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January Next

and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April

next thereafter at 6 o'clock p. m. and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided is due and payable

Taxes are due and payable at the office of the Tax Collector in the court house at Martinez, Contra Costa County.

MARTIN W JOOST
Tax Collector Contra Costa County.
—tf.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA

Annual Meeting

THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA, will be held at its banking rooms, Richmond, California, on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1919, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year, for the approval of all gifts made in the name of the bank by the officers or directors, and for the consideration and transaction of any other business that may be brought before the meeting.

L. A. STEVENSON,
Cashier.

First Publication Dec. 12, 1918.
Last Publication Jan. 12, 1919

NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL

In the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of Anton Marcich, also known as Tony Maricich, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Monday, the 23rd day of December, A. D., 1918 at 10 o'clock a. m., of said day, and the Court Room of said Superior Court, at the Court House in the town of Martinez, County of Contra Costa, have been appointed as the time and place for proving will of said Anton Maricich, also known as Tony Maricich, deceased and for hearing the application of John Sindicich for the issuance to him of letters of administration with the will annexed.

Dated, Martinez, December 4, 1918.

J. H. WELLS, Clerk.
By F. J. BARNARD,
Deputy Clerk.

(Endorsed)—Filed December 4, 1918, J. H. Wells, Clerk; By F. J arnard, Deputy Clerk.
Dec. 9-10t D

November 4, 1918.

TO THOSE CONCERNED — Dr. Wong Him of 1701 Webster St. Oakland, cured me of influenza after taking eight treatments of his herbs.

CLASSIFIED ADS

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES

Lines	2T	3T	6T	12T	24T
3....	$ .25	$ .45	$ .60	$1.00	$1.50
4....	.35	.60	.80	1.35	2.00
5....	.45	.75	1.00	1.75	2.50
6....	.50	.90	1.20	2.00	3.00
7....	.60	1.05	1.40	2.25	3.50
8....	.70	1.20	1.60	2.50	4.00
9....	.80	1.35	1.80	2.75	4.50
10....	.90	1.50	2.00	3.00	5.00

ROOMS FOR RENT

TWO ROOMS to rent for lodging, price reasonable. Call days at 118 Second street.

THE W. C. T. U. of Richmond would like to assist any girl that needs help who will either write or come to see Mrs. G. Wallin, 684 Fifteenth St., Richmond. tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Modern close in 8 room dwelling on one of the best residential streets in the city. Will sell at a bargain; part terms if disposed of at once. Address Box 16, Record-Herald. tf

---

GET A HOME—2 lots, 50 foot frontage, close in location and house, street work all paid. Terms can be arranged. Box C. D. Record-Herald office. 3-22-tf

EXCHANGES

COMBINATION pool and billiard table, Brunswick-Balke, good as new, home size; cost $165, will sell for much less. Address Box GA, Record-Herald Office. 7-19-tf

---

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Hotel and saloon, good business, in shopping district on Macdonald avenue, or will exchange for improved city property or ranch. Would consider selling saloon business separately to reliable parties. Address Box F, Record-Herald Office.

HAVE you vacant lots that you want to turn over for income bearing residence property. I have a modern five room house and two lots in central section of city, that would consider exchanging for vacant lots suitably located. In answering give lot and block number, what value of lots are, and whether street work is paid or not. Address Box 184 Richmond, Cal. 2-29-tf

---

"Let Mayer Do It." If you want your old suit made like new Ring up Phone 452. Cleaning, Men's Repairing or Pressing. Work called for and delivered. Mayer's American Cleaning Works, 1116 Macdonald avenue.

WANTED
—by—
SAN FRANCISCO-OAKLAND TERMINAL RAILWAYS
— at —
Company's Shops
Yerba Buena Avenue near 40th Street, Oakland, California,
5 first-class Machinists
10 first-class Carpenters
10 first-class Painters
Communicate with
Geo. St. Pierre, Superintendent of Equipment.
-925-6t.

WANTED—A good piano. Price and terms must be right. For particulars write P. O. Box 601, Richmond, Cal. tf

---

Mrs. E. Zanutto,
1946 62nd Ave., Oakland.

TO THOSE CONCERNED—After suffering two months with a running sore on my leg, Dr. Wong Him, of 1701 Webster street, Oakland, healed it in a short time with his herbs.

DR. WONG HIM HERB CO
RELIABLE HERB SPECIALIST,
1701 WEBSTER ST., OAKLAND,
PHONE LAKESIDE 429.

FOR RENT—Two room furnished apartment. Also good furnished room for rent. Apply 227 Sixteenth Street. Dec. 9-6t.

PERSONAL

Mms. Gard's Incomparable Face Lotion, and Liquid Face Powder. $1.00. Mail orders promptly filled.

In order to introduce my famous face creams and powders, as a premium, will give advice absolutely FREE OF CHARGE on how to overcome all worries and family perplexities.

Consultation Daily, 10 a. m. to 5 p. m., Tuesday and Friday until 8 p. m.: 1034 Telegraph Ave., Oakland Cal.—Bring this ad.

SKILLED WORKMEN

When your eyes trouble you, come to me for Glasses to relieve the eye-strain.

Dr. C. R. Blake
EYE, EAR, NOSE and THROAT.
704 Macdonald Ave. (Upstairs)
Open Afternoons and Evenings and by Appointment.
"If They Don't Fit, You Can't Have Them."

ELECTRIC MOTORS
Rented, Bought, Sold, Exchanged and Repaired.
Electrical Installations and Supplies
Globe Electric Works
1959 MISSION STREET
SAN FRANCISCO

Telephone Richmond 1265
A. E. CARSON
Designer and General Contractor
Plans FREE Where I Build
Residence 524 4th Street.

SALARY LOANS

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW.

J. E. RODGERS
Attorney-At-Law.
Martinez - - - California.

DANIEL BARTON
Attorney-At-Law.
607 Macdonald Ave. Phone 94.
Open Evenings.

C. A. ODELL,
Attorney-At-Law,
607 Macdonald Ave. Phone 422.
Richmond, Cal.

CHARLES B. WOOD,
Notary Public
I handle Insurance—Life, Accident and Fire.
502 Macdonald ,with J. B. Baldwin.
Phone 474.
Res. 407 Ohio St. Phone 148

Have your suit cleaned and pressed at Black's, Tenth and Macdonald. Phone 723. We call and deliver. Prompt service and good work.

BERT CURRY
UNDERTAKER—EMBALMER
Parlors 332 Eleventh Street
Service Day or Night
Day and Night Phone 429

E. B. SMALLWOOD
Undertaker—Embalmer
DEPUTY CORNER
727 Macdonald Avenue
Phone Richmond 113

GUARANTEED
VULCANIZING
RETREADING, RECAPPING
SECTIONS, TUBES
MILLER
Geared to the Road
TIRES
JOE PERASSO
1434 MACDANALD AVE.

When You Borrow Money

Consider not ONLY the cost, but the terms of repayment. In this respect we offer the following rates for your consideration:
$10.00—Pay us 8 payments of $1.40
$25.00—Pay us 12 payments of $2.20
$50.00—Pay us 9 payments of $6.60
$75.00—Pay us 9 payments of $9.60
Weekly payments, monthly if desired. Other amounts and number of payments arranged to suit your convenience.
If you are a housekeeper or have a steady salaried position, we will supply your wants quickly and confidentially.
Call, write or phone
Reliable Loan Co.
Suite 402-3-4 Daniel Bldg.
632 16th st., bet. Clay-Washington sts
OAKLAND
Phone Oakland 5123

—OPEN DAILY—
New Piedmont Baths
24th and Vernon St., Oakland
PURE OCEAN SALT WATER
(Heated)
Largest All-tiled Tank in West
Open Daily—9 a. m. to 10 p. m.
Sundays—8 a. m. to 9 p. m.
Special Attention Paid to Lady Patrons All Modern Conveniences

---

Subscribe for the Record-Herald

Beyers Ice Cream Parlors
at 1010 Macdonald Avenue recently been enlarged so as to take care of the increasing trade. You not only get service at Beyers, but you get the best. Nothing but
NATIONAL ICE CREAM
is kept.
Hot Chocolates and Milk Shakes a specialty.
A complete stock of Candies and Cigars always kept.

GOOD EATS at the Tivoli Restaurant
509-511 Macdonald Avenue

COAL Draying and Storage
PILLOW BROS.
705 Macdonald Ave Phone 91

Hays, M. A. Real Estate and Insurance, Loans. Telephone Richmond 898, 22nd and Macdonald Avenue.

RICHARDS, W. J. Insurance, Loans, Bonds, Real Estate. 915 Macdonald Avenue. Telephone, Richmond 738.

Back Again
AT OLD STAND
Geo. Sekiguchi who has been on a visit to Japan for the past year has returned and will be glad to meet his old friends and make new ones by doing the best work in shoe repairing.
GEO. SEKIGUCHI
1006 Macdonald Avenue

THESE PAINTERS CARRY LIABILITY INSURANCE

ZEB KNOTT
Sherwin-Williams Paints, Stains and Varnishes
All Grades of Wall Paper
Painting and Paper-Hanging
All Work Guaranteed
819 North Seventh Street

BURDON & KIRKHOUSE
Paperhangers, sing writers, painting contractors. Wallpaper, paints, oils and varnishes
1310 Macdonald — Tel. 328

NO OPERATION

A person always dreads an operation. It is an everyday occurrence for a doctor to suggest operations.
WE NEVER OPERATE
Yet we have cured many sufferers who were given up by other doctors unless they consented to an operation. The curative powers of our Chinese Herb Teas are better than operations.
Easy to take.
No cost for consultation and diagnosis.
Office Hours: 10 to 8; Sundays, 10 to 12.
Drs. Chan & Kong
901 Clay St., Corner 9th St.
Phone Oakland 9349.
OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA

DraperyShop
Automobile and Furniture Upholstery, Drapery, Mattresses, Shades, Window Seats and Morris Chair Cushions.
F. T. Christopher
420 Sixth St.
Richmond, Cal.

Richmond Laundry
You Are Particular!
So Are We!
Phone 414
1517 Macdonald Ave.

LOANS TO SALARIED PEOPLE; ALSO ON FURNITURE, PIANOS, VACANT LOTS, etc.; confidential. OAKLAND CREDIT CO., 100 Bacon Bldg., 12th and Washington sts.; phone Oakland 1668 office hours between 3 and 5:30

Attention Housewives
6 pound Westinghouse electric iron complete with cord—
$3.50
new shipment, guaranteed
Pioneer Electric Co.
818 Macdonald Ave.
Phone 17

Money Loaned
— on paid up —
LIBERTY BONDS
90% on face value of 1st issue.
85% on face value of 2d and 3d issues.
7% interest — No other charges.
Cash without delay.
JOHN NICHOLL COMPANY,
488 Ninth Street,
OAKLAND, - - - - CALIF.

DISEASES OF MEN
Sores, swellings, discharges, nervous, skin, blood poison, etc., quickly treated; charges very reasonable; consultation free.
DR. T. D. HALL
707 Broadway, upstairs, cor Seventh St. Oakland

ZIMMERMAN'S
Bicycle Shop
815 Macdonald Avenue
Complete stock of bicycles kept on hand. Also bicycle tires. Expert gun and locksmith.

HELVETIA HOTEL
Rooms 25c, 35c and 50c.
$1.50 and $2 per week.
Also housekeeping rooms, $2 a week.
227 Sixteenth St., Richmond. Cal.

MRS. MABEL McKEAN
1013 Bissel Avenue
TEACHER OF PIANO
Up-to-date Technique
REASONABLE RATES

NOTARY PUBLIC

NOTARY PUBLIC—I make and acknowledge all kinds of legal papers; deeds, mortgages, contracts, leases, etc. Houses to rent; fire insurance. H. G. Stidham, 163 Washington avenue. Phones, office 868, Residence 920. 3-27-tf

---

Phone Richmond 1491.
RICHMOND JUNK CO.
K. ATOWICH, Prop.
If you have junk of any kind, such as second hand tools and dishes please phone Richmond 1491 and we will promptly call. All kinds of second hand furniture bought at best possible prices. Rags 2 1-2 cent per lb.; iron 85 cents per 100 lbs 116 Macdonald Ave. Richmond, Cal

---

Phone Rich. 540—2456 Solto. Ave.
H. E. SOMERVILLE
Richmond Branch
Geo. W. Caswell Co.
Teas and Coffees
Cal. Blend Chaffless Coffee—Pure Spur Extracts and Baking Powd.
Agent Independent Cracker & Biscuit Company

AUTOMOBILES

USED CARS
PACHECO AUTO COMPANY INC.
Agents for
Chalmers and Oakland Motor Cars
2901-07-15-19 Broadway
Lakeside 1929 Oakland

NOVELTY FEATURES ABOUND IN ORPHEUM PROGRAM THIS WEEK

George Hermann and Marion Shirley are bringing to the Orpheum this week a real vaudeville novelty in their unique playlet, "The Mysterious Masquerader." It is one of those rare little one-act things that don't happen often, a brief bit of entertainment that makes one glad to have seen it. It is a mystery sketch, to begin with dramatic and thrilling, and yet it is not a detective sketch, nor a crook sketch, nor is there any blood shed in it. The cast consists of but two people—Mr. Hermann and Miss Shirley—and their handling of their parts is positively superb.

It would be manifestly unfair, considering the fact that it is a mystery skit, to divulge the plot or the action, but it is sufficient to say that it moves swiftly and brilliantly through a series of thrilling episodes to a surprising climax.

The author of this fascinating and somewhat weird offering is Miss Shirley herself. She conceived the idea some time ago when she and Mr. Herman decided to appear in the same act. s they are artists of different types, the task of writing a piece that would suit the talents of both was not easy. However, "The Mysterious Merquerader" resulted with happy consequences, for to-date wherever it has played it has met with unqualified success.

Miss Shirley is essentially, by training and by inclination, a dramatic actress. Prior to becoming a vaudevillian she was well known and just popular on the legitimate stage. She has appeared in "Sporting Life" where she played the role of Norah; in "Way Down East" as Kate; in "Caste" as Polly Eccles; "The Parish Priest" as Nellie Durkin and in many other successful productions. She has also played leading roles with Barney Gillmore, and at one time was James K. Hackett's ingenue in repertoire.

OAKLAND Orpheum

MAUDE LAMBERT
Charming Musical Comedy Favorite
—and—
ERNEST R. BALL
The Popular Composer

LAWRENCE GRANT & CO.
—IN—
"EFFICIENCY"
Season's Sensation at Greenwich Village Theatre

HERMAN & SHIRLEY

LANDER BROTHERS

OFFICER VOKES AND DON
An Artistic Treat

OFFICIAL RED CROSS PICTURES

PATHE WEEKLY

JOESEPH BENNETT AND EDWARD RICHARDS
—IN—
"DARK CLOUDS"
Matinee Every Day

Phone Oak 711, or drop into Lenhardt's. Every act that plays the S. F Orpheum also plays the Oakland Orpheum. Prices. Matinees, 10c, 25c, 50. Evenings, 10c 25c, 50, 75c, $1. Remember — Two shows New Year's eve. Mail orders accompanied by checks covering price of seats and war tax, received now. State whether first or second show.

Buy Her a Useful Gift

EVERY WOMAN LIKES PRETTY CLOTHES. MEN ADMIRE WELL DRESSED WOMEN

Our Stunning Dresses, Coats, Suits, Furs, Skirts, Waists and Corsets Will Prove Most Appreciable Gifts

Select Her Garment now and arrange to conveniently PAY US LATER

Garfinkle's
CLOTHES SHOP FOR WOMEN
611 Macdonald Avenue

Comfort Within When Cold's Without

Cold without will also mean cold within in thousands of homes this Winter unless provision is made for Gas heating before it is too late.

A Gas Heater

Will fortify you against the discomforts that winter is sure to produce. Don't fail to get yours now, that you may enjoy its warmth and cheer all through the frosty days and during the bitter cold of winter.

Pacific Gas and Electric Co.
709 Macdonald Ave. Telephone Richmond 531

Would you buy a paste diamond if you could secure a genuine stone at no greater cost?

Then why be satisfied with a mere imitation of a singer's voice when by purchasing

The NEW EDISON
"The Phonograph with a Soul"

you can secure its RE-CREATION; pure, sparkling and flawless?

Sold on Easy Terms

Iversen Phonograph Co.
Elks Bldg. 927 Macdonald

L&D RICHMOND THEATRE

Paramount Pictures

SUNDAY VAUDEVILLE

ANOTHER BIG 5-ACT SHOW
Headed By

KENT & CORINE
Comedy and Singing

HUGHES & FISKE
Harpiest and Violinist

FRANK McMAHON
Of U. S. S. Oregon, Wire Artist

THELMA THERMAIN
Character Singer

SURPRISE ACT
PICTURE PROGRAM
"BY PROXY"

PATHE NEWS

MONDAY AND TUESDAY
CHARLES CHAPLIN
—IN—
'SHOULDER ARMS"

Starting time of Feature daily, Matinee, 2:35; Evenings, 7:35 and 9:25.

ONE YEAR IN CHINA

I spent my time in the Canton Medical College and made a deep study of the effect of the wonderful Chinese Herb Teas on all diseases. The Chinese doctors accomplish miracles because of their profound knowledge of pulse diagnosis and the curative powers of the medicinal herb tens. I have re-opened my offices in Oakland and welcome old and new patients.

Free Consultation

DR. PO KWONG SHEW
Chinese Herb Specialist

Hours—10 a. m., 12 m.—1 p. m. to 7 p. m.—Office — 1732 Webster St., Oakland, California.

Christmas Candies

New lines of Fresh, Pure Candies are received daily
A most acceptable gift for young or old
Put Up in Fancy Boxes
All Sizes All Kinds

Whipping Cream

You'll not only enjoy your Christmas dinner better —but every other dinner—with some dish on which is used rich, fluffy whipped cream.

Tamales Tamales

We serve the famous Garibaldi Hot Tamales
You can get them to take home, also

EAGLE CREAMERY

Main Office and Store 905 Macdonald Ave.
Also Store at 512 Macdonald Ave.
Ring Richmond 703 for Milk Delivery

GOOD HEALTHY MEATS

is the only kind that we carry. We personally inspect and buy the cattle on foot, and thereby know just what we are buying, and we buy nothing but prime quality.
Best quality of eastern sugar cured hams and bacon always in stock.

Fresh Fish Daily

RICHMOND and CENTRAL MARKETS
O. R. LUDEWIG, Proprietor

LINCOLN MARKET SPECIALS
All Orders Delivered Free

Extra Fancy Burbank Potatoes, per box	$1.65
Bellefleur Apples, per box	$1.75
4-Tier Pippin "Extra Large" Apples, box	$1.90
4½-Tier Pippin Apples, per box	$1.75
Permain—Eating or Cooking Apples, box	90¢
Fancy Red Apples, per box	$1.65

We Guarantee all the Above Goods
Phone Richmond 1417.
1509-1511 Macdonald Ave., near 15th St.

Gifts That Mean Comfort, Convenience and Leisure

Give something Electrical this Christmas and you give something of practical value. Electrical Gifts add to the modernity of the home and reduce housework to a pleasant minimum.

Electrical Gifts Are of Moderate Cost

ranging from merely a few dollars to as much as you may wish to pay. The line embraces a wide range of useful service from lighting to cooking, cleaning and washing.
Call at your dealers without fail and see how serviceability and artistic merit are combined in Electrical Gifts.

Telephone 115

Western States Gas & Electric Company

Tilden Lumber Co.

PRICE---QUALITY---SERVICE

E. M. TILDEN, President

Office and Mill—15th St. and Nevin Ave. Phone Richmond 81
YARDS—Oakland, Berkeley, Richmond and Crockett

The Best of Fresh Meats

Telephone us an order for your particular steak, chops or roast and you will find that we give particular care to satisfy you.

CHICKENS—CURED MEATS—LARD

UNION MARKET 2114 Macdonald Ave. Phone Richmond 88

Richmond Cottage Hospital
Ninth Street and Barrett Avenue Phone Rich. 885
A quiet homelike hospital for Richmond people under the care of their own physicians. Personal attention of graduate nurses.

Richmond Conservatory of Music
906 Macdonald Avenue, Cunningham Bldg.
Principal, Aurora Thompson, A. G. S. M.
(Associate of Guild Hall School of Music, London, England)
PIANO, VOICE, VIOLIN, WIND INSTRUMENTS
Vocal and piano Tuesday and Saturday. Pupils Etude Club in connection with above, meets last Saturday in every other month. Interviews to arrange for lessons, Tuesday 12 to 1, and Saturday 2 to 3, by appointment.

SNAPS! SNAPS! SNAPS!

Splendid corner, 50x100; street work paid. only $1260.

Two lots, near Barrett, $1100.

Corner 57x100 feet; street work paid, $900—$90 cash, $10 per month.

R. W. BYRN
Phone 756. — 909 Macdonald Ave.

THE CRAVEN HOSPITAL

Conducted by Graduated Nurses
MEDICAL, SURGICAL and MATERNITY CASES.
Baby Incubator Installed.
Received under the care of their own physician.
10th & Clinton Phone 854

S. NUSSENBAUM
High Grade Ladies' Tailor and Dressmaker
502 14th St. Tel. Lakeside 294
Oakland, Cal.

UNION TRANSFER
AUTO SERVICE——STORAGE
FRANK SCHOLES, Prop
Office Schuler's Stationery Store, 800 Macdonald Avenue
MOVING, BAGGAGE, STORAGE—HANDLE ANYTHING
Residence Phone 1466-W

RICHMOND RESTAURANT
Absolutely First Class Open Day and Night, from 6 A. M.
EVERYTHING NEAT AND CLEAN THE BEST COOKING
AMERICAN OR CHINESE DISHES SERVED
MEE HUNG, Prop. 1316 Macdonald Avenue

Buy Your Coal Now!
RICHMOND-STEGE COAL, FUEL & DRAYAGE CO.
1050 LAUREL AVE., STEGE PHONE RICHMOND 619

Tarlatan for Candy Bags
COSTUMES, ETC.—YELLOW, RED, GREEN, PINK, AND WHITE.

Holly Boxes
All Sizes

SHOP IN THE MORNING AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE

Open Evenings Until Christmas

Meet Me at **The Fair** *Save Money*

C. C. OLNEY

Phone Richmond 811 — 781 Macdonald Ave.nue.

OAKLAND-RICHMOND CAR DERAILED BY MOTOR TRUCK

Traffic on the Northbound track of the San Francisco-Oakland Terminal railways was tied up this forenoon for several hours by the derailment of a street car, caused by the collision of the car and a big auto truck, the accident taking place this morning at 8 o'clock near Thornton's place on San Pablo avenue.

Passengers on the street car say the motortruck must have skidded from the wagon roadway to the car tracks just as the street car bowled along opposite the truck and the later was struck square midships and broke in two parts. One of the wheels of the motortruck ditched the street car and made rather a nasty mess, although none of the passengers on the car were injured. The driver of the motortruck saved his life by jumping just before the collision.

It took the best efforts of the wrecking crew of the Northern division, several hours to clear up the wreck.

BIG PREPARATIONS FOR HOLIDAYS BY LOCAL STORES

(Continued From Page One.)

passed away by those who have them. The two stores specializing in them are the Iversen Phonograph Company that handles the Edison machine and records, and Adolph Winters who carries the Victrola and Grafanola, and the Victor and Columbia records, and the L. H. Schrader Furniture Company that is special agent for the Brunswick machine, that plays all records. All of these firms put out their machines on the easy payment plan. They are priced from a moderate sum, up to as high as you want to go.

The Home Attractive

Nothing makes a home so attractive as good furniture, or a house furnished with some special harmonious plan carried out. The L. H. Schrader Company and the Richmond Furniture Company are experts in their line, and they are willing to assist you in making purchases of furniture for the home that will be suitable and in harmony with the other furniture that you have. A visit to these stores is well worth making.

Those 'Fixins"

When it comes Christmas time, there is always the big dinner to be thought of, and what your many friends who will be there will like. Plum puddings, raisins, figs, pumpkin and squash, nuts, olives, pickles, fruit—everyone always likes to taste some of them at the holiday season and Pulse Bros., Beckhaus, Stiefvater and O'Looney are prepared to care for your wants in those lines.

No Dinner

Is complete without candy and ice cream, you should always have some of those articles around the house during the Yuletide season. Candy is especially appropriate to send away to friends, and it can be had in any variety of box that you desire. The Eagle Creamery, Barbikas Bros., The Richmond Variety Store, and Beyers make a specialty of these things.

The Necessary Utensils

For a Christmas dinner are many—such as roasting pans, aluminum coffee and tea pots, and either the Richmond Hardware Company, A. C. Burdick, the Square Deal Hardware Company or L. W. Schroeder can serve your wants in this line as well as any store in California. All of these merchants have many articles also, that are suitable for Christmas gifts either for the young or old.

Turkeys and Meats

It is about time you were placing that order of yours for that Christmas turkey, chicken, roast pork or other delicacy of meat. Some people say they are high yes that is true, but not as high as high as in other nearby cities, so get what you need at home. O. R. Ludwig, with his Richmond and Central Markets, O. H. Dobbs, the Independent Market, the Lily Market and the Union Market, all have large forces ready to serve you.

Start a Savings Account

There is no better way to teach thrift than to start a savings account for some dear one, and especially the children. And there is no better place to start such accounts than at either the First National Bank, the Mechanics Bank or the Bank of Richmond. You have no idea how putting away a small amount of money at a time increases, especially if it is not touched and the interest is added to it right along. Banks start savings account with as small amounts as one dollar.

MRS. J. W. WILLIAMS GAINS 25 POUNDS

Health So Bad Before Taking Tanlac Don't See Now How She Lived.

"A little less than two months ago I began taking Tanlac and since that time I have actually gained twenty-five pounds," was the remarkable statement made by Mrs. J. W. Williams, of 659 Orca Street, Seattle, Wash., recently.

"My health has been very poor for many years," she continues "but my condition has been so bad during the past two or three years that I really don't see how I lived. I suffered most all the time with fearful headaches and awful pains in my back and, in fact, I was racked with pain all over. I lost my appetite, and my nerves became so shattered that I hardly knew what sleep was. When my husband lost his sight my duties, of course, became doubly hard, and my health being bad already, I kept going down under the strain. I did everything I could to keep out of bed, but finally got to where I was just up and down—would sit up one day and be in bed the next—and I even had to give up my housework because I was so weak. Everyday was just another day of suffering and misery for me."

"I went down from one hundred and forty pounds to less than a hundred, and was just a frame with scarcely strength to move around. I finally made up my mind from what I read about Tanlac to try it and I have certainly found it wonderful. I now weigh one hundred and twenty-five pounds, and if anyone could feel like a new person I do. My appetite is splendid and I am just building up every day. My nerves are in good condition, I have gotten rid of all my pain and now I sleep like a child every night. I have gained so much in strength already that I can do all my housework without any trouble and I have been benefited so much that I am glad to recommend Tanlac to everybody."

Tanlac is sold in Richmond by F. S. LaMoine; in Antioch by H. J. Shuman, in Crockett by J. Civiletti; in Pittsburg by Regal Pharmacy; in Antioch; by Shuman Drug Store, and in Pinole by E. K. and H. Dunlap.

"I've Got the Boys All Guessing, Will"

"They're all curious to know how on earth I can keep up such a good appearance when my salary's no bigger than theirs. Well, it's mighty simple, and they could look just as well as I do if they only used a little more discretion in buying. You see, I can always have a new suit whenever I want it. I don't have to wait until I've saved enough cash to pay for it, for I just saunter up to Cherry's Shop whenever I need anything new. I pay a few dollars down and pick out the best suit in the house. The rest's easy, for I pay a little each week, to suit my purse. Weeks and weeks to pay, and all those weeks I am enjoying the clothes. Cherry has two shops in Oakland—men's store at 528 13th and for women at 512 13th."—Advertisement.

CHARLEY CHAPLIN IS IN TOWN FOR TWO BIG DAYS

Never a better laugh was enjoyed than that of the people who viewed the first performance today of Charles Chaplin in "Shoulder Arms" at the Richmond Theatre. The film, accounted Charlie's greatest, will be shown tonight and tomorrow. It is a comedy on trench life, filled with hundreds of indescribable situations and with a laugh for every foot of the film.

Those who saw this picture realize that Chaplin is just coming into the zenith of his ability as a film comedian as "Shoulder Arms" surpasses anything which he has yet attempted. It is a timely and original production.

To accommodate the Standard Oil shift men, Manager Reardon, of the Richmond Theatre has arranged to give the first show of "Shoulder Arms" at 2:15 in the afternoon.

Temporary Headquarters
—of the—
HOME LAUNDRY
have been established at
321 Sixth Street
(formerly Cryan's Cigar Store)

and business is being transacted as usual, notwithstanding the fact that the plant was destroyed by fire. Drivers will call as usual on patrons for their laundry.

IF YOU ARE IN DOUBT ABOUT ANYTHING

TELEPHONE RICHMOND **5**

D. D. DRAKE
607 Macdonald Avenue — Room 1

We will cash your Liberty Bonds and War Saving Stamps for you. We buy guaranteed Notes. Commercial Paper, Bills Receivable, etc. When you wish money come in and see us about it.

Live turkeys, corn fed. Dobbs, 1008 Macdonald avenue. 12-24

A Stylish Garment Is a Most Desirable Gift

Garfinkle's

Special Christmas Offer

Men!

Here is an opportunity to give her a real Christmas Gift.

Select Now

For her a stunning Coat, Furs, Dress, Suit, Waist, Skirt, or Sweater.

Have it charged and begin paying for it next year.

Never in the history of mankind has "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men" been so fraught with significance as on this Yuletide. Beyond expression is the infinite joy that is ours.

Let us give liberally—so that our relatives and friends be happy on Xmas Day.

In view of the many demands on our income at this time of the year, and in order that no one shall be bound by a limited purse in giving as the heart wills and in dressing as the occasion suggests, Garfinkle's offers you the privilege to

Choose Her Garments Now

Have Them Charged and Begin Paying For Them Next Year

Give Her a Useful Gift

Our Smart Coats, Dresses, Suits, Furs, Sweaters, Waists, Skirts, Petticoats, Corsets and Camisoles will be highly appreciated by her. Our large assortments of select styles, our moderate prices, our liberal credit policy and our special offer to have it charged and begin paying for it next year will help you to

Choose Her Gift Now

Garfinkle's
CLOTHES SHOP FOR WOMEN
471 Macdonald Ave. Richmond

VICTROLAS
—and—
GRAFANOLAS
Bring enjoyment to the home
—for—
CHRISTMAS
Buy only a standard make of
Our Records
machine, they are the best.

Stock is very complete and comprises all kinds of Music, including the great artists. Full line of instrumental and vocal music.

Adolph Winters
1030-32 Macdonald Avenue

When Other Fail

Nearly every man and woman we have cured during the years we have practiced in Oakland came to us after they had been given up by others. Why wait until then? The wonderful Chinese Herb Teas we administer will rid your system of all poisons.

NO COST FOR CONSULTATION AND DIAGNOSIS.

Office hours—9 to 6; Sundays, 10 to 12.

DR. SING HERB CO.
491 Tenth St., near Washington
Phone Oakland 3259.
OAKLAND, CAL.

Auto Bus Line to Rodeo

Until the highway to Martinez is completed, W. A. Anderson will run his auto stage to connect with the Rodeo-Vallejo ferry at Rodeo. Here is the schedule of trips:

Leave Richmond	8:30 a. m.
Arrive Pinole	8:55 a. m.
Reach Rodeo	9:20 a. m.
Returning	
Leave Rodeo	9:40 a. m.
Arrive Pinole	10:00 a. m.
Reach Richmond	10:25 a. m.
AFTERNOON	
Leave Richmond	12:50 p. m.
Arrive Pinole	1:15 p. m.
Reach Rodeo	1:35 p. m.
Returning	
Leave Rodeo	1:40 p. m.
Arrive Pinole	2:00 p. m.
Reach Richmond	2:25 p. m.

For information call Richmond 231, Richmond-Martinez, Auto Bus Line.

Notice, Autoists

Commencing October 14, 1918 all legitimate garages in Richmond will close their doors at 8 o'clock every evening to conform to the government request to release man power for other occupations.

Richmond Auto Trades Assoc
Mt. Diablo Garage,
Twenty-Second Street Garage,
City Hall Garage,
Richmond Garage,
Conn's Garage,
Commercial Garage,
Buick Garage.

Going to Move?
Let Byron do it cheap.
909 Macdonald Avenue.
Phone Rich. 756.

All the home news and excellent telegraphic news reports found in the Record-Herald.

SPENT OVER $3500 WITH DOCTORS and got no relief, So declared Mr. R. Lewis, proprietor of the large jewelry store at Eleventh and Washington Sts., in the center of Oakland. After drinking the Fong Wan Herb Tea he was completely cured.

His Unsolicited Testimonial.

For several years I was troubled with Nervous Attacks. I visited the most prominent physicians in both OAKLAND and SAN FRANCISCO without obtaining permanent results. Finally, when an OPERATION ON MY SPINE had been suggested, I quit and began drinking the FONG WAN CHINESE HERBS. After seven weeks I felt entirely well. This was in September, 1916, and up to the present time, there has been no recurrence of the attacks.

R. LEWIS, Residence, 611 43d St., Oakland, Cal.

FONG WAN HERB CO.
The Most Reliable

Each individual case studied specially and tea prepared accordingly.—548 Eighth St., Cor. Clay, OAKLAND, CAL.—Phone Oakland 3767. Consultation FREE.

SELL DIRECT TO A RELIABLE LICENSED STOCK and BOND BROKER

Liberty Bonds BOUGHT FOR CASH
(ANY ISSUE)

Cash Paid $50. $100. $500. $1000. Cash Paid

WE PAY MARKET CASH PRICES FOR PARTLY PAID BONDS

Receipts on Banks or Where You Are Employed

Out-of-town customers may dispose of bonds through any express company.

NEW YORK STOCK & BOND CO.
Room 201, Security Bank Bldg., Corner 11th and Broadway, Oakland.
HOURS 9 A. M. TO 6 P. M.
SATURDAY UNTIL 7 P. M.

FOR SALE

$2350 buys a strictly modern 4-room cottage; $500 down; balance $25.00 per month.

We have several 4- and 5-room modern cottages, on 17th, 18th, 20th and 21st streets; from $1850 to $2,000; $300 down; balance $25.00 per month.

$3500 buys 2 lots, 6-room house, partly furnished, 112 ft. from Macdonald Ave. $500 down balance like rent.

$3350 buys most modern new house, with garage under, large lot. $600 down, balance like rent.

$375 buys one lot on 22nd Street. Street work done; a big bargain.

We have for sale 3 acres of choice level land with 8-room house, windmill, good well, fences and other improvements; about 2½ miles from center of Richmond.

All kinds of Legal Papers made and Notary Work.

CONN BROS.
253 SIXTH STREET
North of Macdonald Ave.

Liberty Bonds Bought
PARTLY PAID BONDS

RECEIPTS ON BANKS OR WHERE YOU ARE EMPLYED. MARKET VALUE FLUCTUATES DAILY. BELOW FIGURES ARE ABOUT THE MARKET VALUE WITH ACCRUED INTEREST UP TO DATE:

$100.00 BONDS COMPLETE.

1st 3½%	$103.00
1st 4%	100.50
2nd 4%	99.00
3rd 4¼%	97.25

$50 BONDS IN PROPORTION.

OUT OF TOWN ORDERS FROM ANYWHERE IN THE UNITED STATES WILL RECEIVE PROMPT ATTENTION AND RECEIVE MONEY BY RETURN MAIL.

SELIX
Over Bank of Italy
948 Market, Room 601.
San Francisco, Cal.

PHOTOGRAPHS

Christmas will soon be here. Nothing better to give your friends than a picture. Don't delay. Time is limited.

R. P. DAMMAND STUDIO
Sat. 11 & 12th Sts.—Macdonald Av.